

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 458

By Herron

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Brittany Barrett, 2003  
Salutatorian of Riverside High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Brittany Barrett is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2003 graduating class at Riverside High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Brittany Barrett has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Brittany has earned an exemplary grade point average; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Barrett's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success as she plans to attend the University of Tennessee in the fall to pursue a degree in Elementary Education; and

WHEREAS, an extremely talented and well-rounded young woman, Brittany is a member and officer of several organizations, including the Student Council, HOSA, the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, the Yearbook Staff, the Lady Panther basketball team, the Beta Club, Mu Alpha Theta, and the golf team; Brittany was also a class officer all four years; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to accolades, Brittany is one of Riverside's Most Distinguished Students in American High Schools, a Decatur County Rising Leader, and was voted "Best Liked by Underclassmen" by her peers; and

WHEREAS, a thoughtful and caring young woman, Brittany is an active member of Corinth Church and is actively involved in several community service activities; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Barrett's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Phil and Kerry Barrett, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Brittany's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor 2003 Riverside High School Salutatorian, Brittany Barrett, on her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.